

**Subject:** Re: PBID Assesment Refund

**From:** Dr LaRue

**Date:** 03/02/2017 08:12 AM

**To:** Lorena Parker

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Lorena,

Yesterday when you offered to refund my \$200 BID assessment (though that is not the correct amount of my assessment but it is the number you proffered), what exactly were you expecting to receive in return? And if the BID has no legal mechanism to to refund my assessment, how were you planning to pay for it?

Bruce Ecker

On 3/1/17 11:39 AM, Dr LaRue wrote:

Lorena,

So you are now saying that the offer you made me this morning is not going to be honored?

Bruce Ecker

On 3/1/17 11:35 AM, Lorena Parker wrote:

Mr. LaRue,

There is no legal mechanism set up within the structure of the BID to refund your assessment.

Best regards,

Lorena Parker  
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On Wed, Mar 1, 2017 at 11:07 AM, Dr LaRue <[larue@ratbite.org](mailto:larue@ratbite.org)> wrote:

Lorena Parker  
Executive Director  
San Pedro Business Improvement District

Lorena,

Thank you for your kind offer this morning at the SAN PEDRO PROPERTY OWNERS ALLIANCE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MONTHLY MEETING to refund the BID assessment on my property. This offer has already generated some interest from other stakeholders. Could you let me know if this offer is available to any property owner in the BID, just residential property owners, or if it is only available to me?

Also, would this refund be something I would have to apply for annually or will it apply for the duration of my residence in the BID?

Thanks,

Bruce Ecker

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